



## BBCP February Newsletter



**January Reflections** After a crazy wintery start to the year, students spent the month of January staying warm and learning about arctic animals, snow, dinosaurs, and different cultures. Our big Multicultural Day event was an exciting day for students as they traveled around the world with their passports learning about different cultures. What a joyous day! Our BBCP teachers provide such an excellent learning environment for our students. I'm so proud of the work they do! Thank you BBCP teachers!

**February Happenings** February is a short month, but boy do we have TALL plans! First off – On Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, students will be participating in the first ever BBCP Olympic Winter Games. Following Chapel on Monday, students will be parading to Miss Christina's gym class to learn about the Olympics and participate in our own Winter Olympic Games. Each class has created a class flag they will be carrying and Olympic music will be playing. We will be lighting (pretend) our own BBCP Olympic Torch and holding Opening Ceremonies. Monday is sure to be another exciting day at preschool! Please help children to dress in gym clothes for participating in the Olympic Games. Thank you!

Also, on Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, students will be bringing home information on our service project for this month entitled "Pennies for Patients." As a school community, we will be collecting pennies and any loose change to help our local Central Ohio Chapter of The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Our donations will help with patient services at local hospitals such as the James Cancer Hospital and will help fund cancer research. Students will be bringing home little collection boxes. Students may collect change anytime between February 5<sup>th</sup> and February 15<sup>th</sup>. All change brought in by students will be collectively donated as our way of showing love and support to those fighting cancer. As always, participation is optional, and thank you in advance for your support of this community outreach and learning experience for students.

Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup> will be our schoolwide Valentine Celebration at BBCP. Students will be making Valentine bags and exchanging Valentines in their classrooms. PTO volunteers will be providing a special snack that day and

have planned several special activity stations to do with the children. We are looking forward to a lovely day!

On Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup> (5:00 PM) Berlin Church will be hosting an event to make blankets for the organization "My Very Own Blanket" which provides blankets for children in foster care. You are invited to attend and share in a meal (no need to bring anything!) and an evening of worship! We will begin with dinner and move on to making the blankets and then worship will begin at 7:00. The evening will go until 8:00. Please feel free to come when you can and leave when you need to! This is a fun, casual evening to get together and fellowship with one another! To help with planning, please use the sign-up sheet on the wall next to the 4's artwork. Please Join Us!

Monday, February 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday, March 2nd we will be celebrating reading with our Dr. Seuss Week! Teachers are planning numerous colorful and creative activities for students throughout the week. Be on the watch for special dress up days as well. There are even rumors of green eggs and ham being served by a special guest reader. Students won't want to miss this exciting week of fun at BBCP!

## Thank You Notes!

- Thank you to all that have volunteered to help with drop off service during these colder months! We have the best volunteers! We appreciate you!
- Thank you for all the 2018-2019 enrollment referrals! We thank you for your continued support of BBCP. We appreciate our BBCP families and will continue to strive to maintain the excellent program you are accustomed to.
- Thank you to all our BBCP families for sharing your amazing children with us each week. We are honored to share in their education with you! As always, please email any time with questions at [bbcmissmichelle@gmail.com](mailto:bbcmissmichelle@gmail.com).

